# STATE OF CALIFORNIA STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

## **DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS**

#### **ORDER**

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# ORDER CORRECTING DESCRIPTION OF THE POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE, AND AMENDING LICENSE

#### WHEREAS:

- License 5795 was issued to R.M. Hickman on October 22, 1959 and was filed with the County Recorder of Sonoma County in Book 1707, Page 279, Document F 90554.
- A March 27, 1990 staff inspection of the project site found that the point of diversion and place of use had been incorrectly described in the license.
- Corrections are needed to agree with the locations shown on the (7.5') U.S. Geological Survey Quadrangle Map - Mount St. Helena.
- 4. The Board has determined that said corrections will not initiate a new right nor operate to the injury of any other harmful user of water and that good and sufficient cause has been shown for said corrections.
- 5. The license conditions pertaining to the continuing authority of the Board should be updated to conform to the current common law public trust doctrine contained in Title 23, California Code of Regulations, Section 780(a).

### NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

 The description of the point of diversion (POD) and place of use (POU) under license 5795 be corrected to read:

POD - North 100 feet and East 1,500 feet from the SW corner of Section 3, T9N, R8W, MDB&M, being within SE% of SW% of said Section 3, also described as California Coordinate System, Zone 2, North 358,400 and East 1,789,700

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POU - Stockwatering, Recreational, Fish Culture and Irrigation uses at the onstream reservoir located within the SE½ of SW½ of Section 3, and NE½ of NW½ of Section 10, T9N, R8W, MDB&M; irrigation of 7 acres, described as follows:

1 acre, within SW% of SW% of Section 3, T9N, R8W, MDB&M 6 acres, within NW% of NW% of Section 10, T9N, R8W, MDB&M

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2. The continuing authority provisions of this license be amended to read:

Pursuant to California Water Code Sections 100 and 275, and the common law public trust doctrine, all rights and privileges under this permit and under any license issued pursuant thereto, including method of diversion, method of use, and quantity of water diverted, are subject to the continuing authority of the State Water Resources Control Board in accordance with law and in the interest of the public welfare to protect public trust uses and to prevent waste, unreasonable use, unreasonable method of use, or unreasonable method of diversion of said water.

The continuing authority of the Board may be exercised by imposing specific requirements over and above those contained in this permit with a view to eliminating waste of water and to meeting the reasonable water requirements of permittee without unreasonable draft on the source. Permittee may be required to implement a water conservation plan, features of which may include but not necessarily be limited to: (1) reusing or reclaiming the water allocated; (2) using water reclaimed by another entity instead of all or part of the water allocated; (3) restricting diversions so as to eliminate agricultural tailwater or to reduce return flow; (4) suppressing evaporation losses from water surfaces; (5) controlling phreatophytic growth; and (6) installing, maintaining, and operating efficient water measuring devices to assure compliance with the quantity limitations of this permit and to determine accurately water use as against reasonable water requirements for the authorized project. No action will be taken pursuant to this paragraph unless the Board determines, after notice to affected parties and opportunity for hearing, that such specific requirements are physically and financially feasible and are appropriate to the particular situation.

The continuing authority of the Board also may be exercised by imposing further limitations on the diversion and use of water by the permittee in order to protect public trust uses. No action will be taken pursuant to this paragraph unless the Board determines, after notice to affected parties and opportunity for hearing, that such action is consistent with California Constitution Article X, Section 2; is consistent with the public interest and is necessary to preserve or restore the uses protected by the public trust.

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Dated:

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Jesse M. Diaz, Chief Division of Water Quality

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## STATE OF CALIFORNIA-STATE WATER RIGHTS BOARD

# License for Diversion and Use of Water

APPLICATION 16077

PERMIT\_ 10107

LICENSE 5795

This Is To Certify, That

R. M. Hickman Route 1, Box 63 D Calistoga, California

Notice of Assignment (Over)

the date of inspection) to the satisfaction of the State Water Rights Board of a right to the use of the water of an unnamed creek in Sonoma County

tributary to Maacama Creek

for the purpose of irrigation, stockwatering, recreational and fish culture uses under Permit 10107 of the State Water Rights Board and that said right to the use of said water has been perfected in accordance with the laws of California, the Rules and Regulations of the State Water Rights Board and the terms of the said permit; that the priority of the right herein confirmed dates from October 4, 1954 and that the amount of water to which such right is entitled and hereby confirmed, for the purposes aforesaid, is limited to the amount actually beneficially used for said purposes and shall not exceed twenty (20) acre-feet per annum to be collected from about October 1 of each year to about May 1 of the succeeding year.

The maximum withdrawal in any one year has been fifteen (15) acre-feet.

The point of diversion of such water is located:

South twenty (20) feet and east two hundred (200) feet from NW corner of Lot 1 (NE $_{1}^{1}$  of NW $_{1}^{1}$ ) of fractional Section 10, T9N, R8W, MDB&M, being within said Lot 1.

A description of the lands or the place where such water is put to beneficial use is as follows:

Stockwatering, recreational and fish culture uses at Hickman Reservoir within Lot 1 ( $NE_{4}^{1}$  of  $NW_{4}^{1}$ ) of fractional Section 10, T9N, R8W, MDB&M and irrigation of 7 acres within  $NW_{4}^{1}$  of  $NW_{4}^{1}$  of fractional Section 10, T9N, R8W, MDB&M.

Issuance of this license shall not operate to the prejudice of any prior rights, including such rights, if any, as have been or may be acquired by Sonoma County Flood Control and Water Conservation District or its successors under Applications 15736, 15737, and 15779 and Mendocino County Flood Control and Water Conservation District or its successors under Applications 15738 and 15739.

All rights and privileges under this license including method of diversion, method of use and quantity of water diverted are subject to the continuing authority of the State Water Rights Board in accordance with law and in the interest of the public welfare to prevent waste, unreasonable use, unreasonable method of use or unreasonable method of diversion of said water.

Reports shall be filed promptly by licensee on appropriate forms which will be provided for the purpose from time to time by the State Water Rights Board.

The right hereby confirmed to the diversion and use of water is restricted to the point or points of diversion herein specified and to the lands or place of use herein described.

This license is granted and licensee accepts all rights herein confirmed subject to the following provisions of the Water Code:

Section 1625. Each license shall be in such form and contain such terms as may be prescribed by the board.

Section 1626. All licenses shall be under the terms and conditions of this division (of the Water Code).

Section 1627. A license shall be effective for such time as the water actually appropriated under it is used for a useful and beneficial purpose in conformity with this division (of the Water Code) but no longer.

Section 1628. Every license shall include the enumeration of conditions therein which in substance shall include all of the provisions of this article and the statement that any appropriator of water to whom a license is issued takes the license subject to the conditions therein expressed.

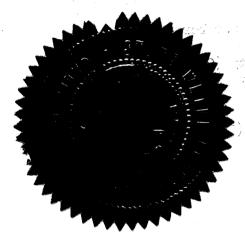
Security 29. Every licensee, if he accepts a license does so under the conditions precedent that no value whatsoever in excess of the actual amount paid to the State therefor shall at any time be assigned to or claimed for any license granted or issued under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code), or for any rights granted or acquired under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code), in respect to the regulation by any competent public authority of the services or the price of the services to be rendered by any licensee or by the holder of any rights granted or acquired under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code) or in respect to any valuation for purposes of sale to or purchase, whether through condemnation proceedings or otherwise, by the State or any city, city and county, municipal water district, irrigation district, lighting district, or any political subdivision of the State, of the rights and property of any licensee, or the possessor of any rights granted, issued, or acquired under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code).

Section 1630. At any time after the expiration of twenty years after the granting of a license, the State or any city, city and county, municipal water district, irrigation district, lighting district, or any political subdivision of the State shall have the right to purchase the works and property occupied and used under the license and the works built or constructed for the enjoyment of the rights granted under the license.

Section 1631. In the event that the State, or any city, city and county, municipal water district, irrigation district, lighting district, or political subdivision of the State so desiring to purchase and the owner of the works and property cannot agree upon the purchase price, the price shall be determined in such manner as is now or may hereafter be provided by law for determining the value of property taken in eminent domain proceedings.

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